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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 2371

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TAGS: CASC (OFWONO, HELEN AND FAMILY)

SUBJ: W/W ASSISTANCE TO OFWONO FAMILY

REF STATE 221845

1. POST PROCEEDING WITH ISSUANCE OF LIMITED PASSPORT TO OFWONO CHILDREN.

2. DESPITE POST'S EFFORTS TO PLACE FAMILY WITH LOCAL MISSIONARY FAMILIES, CONTINUED LODGING AT INEXPENSIVE HOTEL HAS PROVEN NECESSARY.

POST REQUESTS DEPARTMENT TO AUTHORIZE CONTINUED SUBSISTENCE AND REPATRIATION LOAN AS FOLLOWS:

SUBSISTENCE, AT 50 DOLLARS PER DAY (6 MEMBER FAMILY), FROM SEPT. 3 THROUGH SEPT. 12: 500 DOLLARS.

AIR-FARE NAIROBI-NEW YORK (4 ADULT FARES AND TWO HALF-FARES): 3940 DOLLARS.

PASSPORT FEE: 13 DOLLARS.

AIRPORT DEPARTURE TAX: 14/35 DOLLARS.

TOTAL LOAN AMOUNT: 4467.35 DOLLARS.

POST HAD ALSO PLACED OFWONO CHILDREN ON SUBSISTENCE FROM AUG. 30 TO SEPT. 3 AS AUTHORIZED BY STATE 214903. TOTAL AMOUNT OF THAT LOAN, MADE TO DAVI OFWONO, WHO SIGNED NOTE, WAS 100 DOLLARS.

3. FAMILY HAS RESERVATIONS ON FLIGHT LEAVING NAIROBI EARLY MORNING OF SEPT. 13. THEY WILL ARRIVE NEW YORK ABOARD BRITISH
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AIRWAYS FLIGHT 501 ETA 1335 NEW YORK TIME ON MONDAY, SEPT. 13.

MRS. OFWONO HAS REQUESTED ASSISTANCE FROM HEW ON ARRIVAL. FAMILY
WILL NEED HELP IN REACHING FINAL DESTINATION, 6124 34TH ST.,
NORTH HIGHLANDS, CALIFORNIA 95660, RESIDENCE OF HER BROTHER
(WHO IS UNABLE TO PROVIDE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AT PRESENT.)
MRS. OFWONO ALSO REQUESTS HEW RESETTLEMENT ASSISTANCE UNTIL
SHE IS BACK ON HER FEET.

4. POST WILL APPRECIATE DEPARTMENT'S APPROVAL OF REPATRIATION
LOAN SOONEST SO THAT ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS CAN BE MADE BEFORE
WEEKEND CLOSE OF BUSINESS.
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